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Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §§1.56, 1.97, and 1.98, Applicant wishes to bring the documents, listed on the attached form PTO-1449 and enclosed herewith, to the attention of the Examiner. The documents were cited by the Finnish Patent Office on 13 MAY 2002 in a search report, a copy of which is enclosed. The LANDBERG document was cited as category "X" while the HICKS document was cited as category "A." They are in English, so their relevance will be readily apparent. Therefore, this submission complies with MPEP § 609.

I hereby certify that this paper is being deposited with the United States Postal Service on the date shown below with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, Washington D.C. 20231

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REMARKS

Some of the documents are dated after the Feb. 15, 2001 Finnish priority date of the present application, so Applicant does not concede that a particular document is "prior art" unless specifically designated as such. The HICKS PCT claims priority from two FEB. 1999 US provisional applications, but Applicant is not informed about what those provisionals may disclose. **No** representation is made that more pertinent, although presently unknown, art does not exist. It is anticipated that the Examiner will conduct a thorough search of the prior art and will carefully consider the documents submitted herewith.

The Examiner is respectfully requested to **return an initialled copy** of form PTO-1449, to confirm that the references have been considered.

Early examination and allowance of the present application are respectfully solicited. No fee is believed required; if any is required, it may be charged to Deposit Account No. 23-0442.

Respectfully submitted,

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Finnish search report of 13 MAY 2002 in priority app'n 2001 0293



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	WO	00-48360-A1	17 AUG '00	HICKS et al.			In English
	WO	02-21799-A1	14 MAR '02	LANDBERG et al.			In English
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